

DOCKET NO.: 245781US0

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: :  
Daiki NINOMIYA, et al. : GROUP ART UNIT: 1761  
SERIAL NO.: 10/729,935 :  
FILED: DECEMBER 9, 2003 : EXAMINER: CHAWLA, J.  
FOR: SEASONING AND THE PROCESS OF PRODUCING IT

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated February 7, 2007, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group II, Claims 5-16, drawn to method of producing the seasoning, for further prosecution.

REMARKS

The Office has required restriction in the present application as follows:

Group I: Claims 1-4, drawn to a seasoning product, classified in class 426, subclass 589; and

Group II: Claims 5-16, drawn to method of producing the seasoning, classified in class 426, subclass 44.

Applicants elect, with traverse, Group II, Claims 5-16, drawn to method of producing the seasoning, for further prosecution.